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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

10/509928INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/US03/10080INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE
04/01/2003PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
04/03/2002TITLE OF INVENTION **Clip for Fire Detector Wire**APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US **Daniel J. Sweigard**

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. ☒ The US has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto.
 - b. ☒ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☒ Other items or information: Return postcard for date stamping and return to us.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 0837RF-H543-US

In Re Application of:

SWEIGARD, DANIEL J.

Serial No: **TO BE ASSIGNED**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please file the following enclosed documents in the subject National-Stage application:

1. This Transmittal with Certificate of Express Mail;
2. Form PTO-1390;
3. Declaration;
4. Our check in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the Filing Fee; and
5. Our return postcard which we would appreciate you date stamping and returning to us.

<p align="center">CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAIL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 EXPRESS MAIL NO. EV 484029903 US</p> <p>I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to Mail Stop: PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.</p> <p>Date of Deposit: <u>10/1/04</u> By: <u>James E. Walke</u></p>
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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the Filing Fee. No other fees are deemed to be necessary; however, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 502806.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date 10/1/04

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